

## **DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office addresses and citizenships are as stated below next to my names;

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled::

# A SWITCHABLE SELF-DOPED POLYANILINE

the specification of which

(check one)      [X]    is attached hereto

[ ]    was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as Application No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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(if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I do not know and do not believe that the invention was ever patented or described in any printed publication in any country before my invention thereof or more than one year prior to this application.

I do not know and do not believe that the invention was in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to this application.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known by us to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

I hereby claim priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(a) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any provisional applications filed under 35 U.S.C. § 111(b) listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent, inventor's certificate or provisional application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign or Provisional Application(s)

			Priority Claimed	
<u>60/526603</u>	<u>United States</u>	<u>04 December 2003</u>	[X]	[ ]
(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	Yes	No

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known by me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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(Appln. No.)	(Filing Date)	(Status)(patented, Pending, abandoned)

As the named inventor, I hereby appoint the attorneys and agents associated with Customer Number 1473 to prosecute this application and transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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